

34. *Appointment of unrepresented classes.*

Mr. A. B. Salem.—“*This Council recommends to the Government that, for the purpose of attaining equitable and fair distribution of Government patronage to all sections of the body politic in the service of this State, for the next two years, only duly qualified members of the now sparsely represented classes, viz., of the Gowd Saraswaths, Pulayas, Ezhuvas, Thiyyas, Latin Christians, Jews, Muhammadans and other unrepresented classes alone be appointed to appointments in the gift of Government or the Departments under Government.*”

I beg to move that this resolution may stand adjourned.

Deputy President.—If you want to move this resolution at the next meeting, I think you will have to give fresh notice.

Mr. A. B. Salem.—Then I shall give fresh notice.

The resolution was considered withdrawn as also the following amendments:—

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—*Omit the words ‘to all sections of’ and substitute ‘to all colours and heights in’. Omit the words beginning from ‘classes, viz.’ up to the end ‘unrepresented classes’ and substitute ‘colours and heights.’*

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—*Add ‘Ezhuthassans’ after ‘Muhammadans.’*

Mr. V. D. Ouseph.—*From resolution No. 34 omit the portion between the words ‘classes’ and ‘alone’.*

35. *Bridge over the Manali River.*

As Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar was absent, the following resolution was considered withdrawn:—

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—“*This Council recommends to the Government that a bridge be constructed over the Manali river at Trikkur at an early date.*”

36. *Untouchability and unapproachability.*

As Mr. K. Ayyappan was absent, the following resolution was considered withdrawn:—

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—“*This Council recommends to the Government to request His Highness the Maharaja to issue a proclamation abolishing the customs of untouchability and unapproachability prevalent in the State.*”

37. *Appointment of graduates and non-graduates.*

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—“*This Council recommends to the Government to reserve 50 per cent of the posts in the Lower Secondary Department of the State Educational service, to non-graduates of approved service and stop the appointment of graduates to the said Department till the above percentage is reached.*”